IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

ALCOA, INC.,)
Plaintiff,)
v.) C.A. No. 06-383-SLR
ALCAN INC., a Canadian corporation, ALCAN)
CORP., a Texas corporation, ALCAN CORP., a Delaware corporation, PECHINEY, S.A., a)
French corporation, ALCAN RHENALU, a)
French corporation, ALCAN PECHINEY CORP., a Texas corporation, PECHINEY)
METALS, LLC, a Delaware limited liability)
company, ALCAN ROLLED PRODUCTS – RAVENSWOOD, LLC, a Delaware limited)
liability company,)
Defendants.)

ALCAN CORP. (TEXAS), ALCAN CORP. (DELAWARE), ALCAN PECHINEY CORP., PECHINEY METALS, LLC AND ALCAN ROLLED PRODUCTS – RAVENSWOOD, LLC'S MOTION TO BE DISMISSED FROM THE SUIT AS IMPROPERLY JOINED

- 1. Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 21, Defendants Alcan Corp. (Texas), Alcan Corp. (Delaware), Alcan Pechiney Corp., Pechiney Metals, LLC and Alcan Rolled Products-Ravenswood, LLC respectfully move to be dismissed from this action as misjoined parties.
- 2. In its Complaint, Alcoa, Inc. ("Alcoa") does not claim that any of the alleged wrongdoing was committed by any of the moving defendants. Specifically, Alcoa does not allege that the moving defendants had any involvement in the development, manufacture or marketing of the allegedly infringing 2056 aluminum alloy.

- 3. Because the Complaint does not allege that the moving defendants engaged in the alleged misconduct, and Alcoa would not be prejudiced by their removal from the case, the moving defendants should be dismissed under Rule 21 as improper parties.
- 4. The moving defendants submit contemporaneously herewith: Alcan Corp. (Texas), Alcan Corp. (Delaware), Alcan Pechiney Corp., Pechiney Metals, LLC and Alcan Rolled Products-Ravenswood, LLC's Memorandum in Support of Their Motion to Be Dismissed From the Suit as Improperly Joined.

WHEREFORE, there being no connection between the moving defendants and any of the alleged wrongdoing in the Complaint, the moving defendants respectfully request to be dismissed from the lawsuit as improperly joined parties.

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ORDE	<u>CR</u>
At Wilmington this day of	, 2006, having considered
Alcan Corp. (Texas), Alcan Corp. (Delaware), Alc	an Pechiney Corp., Pechiney Metals, LLC and
Alcan Rolled Products-Ravenswood, LLC's Motio	n to Be Dismissed From the Suit as
Improperly Joined,	
IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Motion	n is GRANTED and Alcan Corp. (Texas),
Alcan Corp. (Delaware), Alcan Pechiney Corp., Pe	chiney Metals, LLC and Alcan Rolled
Products-Ravenswood, LLC are dismissed from th	e suit as improperly joined.
	Chief Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 15th day of August, 2006, the attached ALCAN CORP.

(TEXAS), ALCAN CORP. (DELAWARE), ALCAN PECHINEY CORP., PECHINEY

METALS, LLC AND ALCAN ROLLED PRODUCTS—RAVENSWOOD, LLC'S

MOTION TO BE DISMISSED FROM THE SUIT AS IMPROPERLY JOINED was served upon the below-named counsel of record at the address and in the manner indicated:

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